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Title: CONSTRAINED KEYBOARD
DISAMBIGUATION USING VOICE
RECOGNITION

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AMENDMENT A

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Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated June 20, 2002, please amend the above-identified patent application as follows:

IN THE CLAIMS:

[All pending claims have been reproduced below for the convenience of the Examiner]

Please **AMEND** claims 1, 2, 9, 11, 13, 16 and 19-22 as follows:

1. (Once Amended) A method for inputting data to a mobile communication device having a constrained keyboard with ambiguous keys, the mobile communication device also having a microphone for picking up voice input, said method comprising:
- (a) receiving voice input from a user using the microphone;
 - (b) detecting, substantially concurrently with said receiving (a), that one of the ambiguous keys of the keyboard has been selected by the user as a selected key;
 - (c) obtaining reference patterns associated with the selected key;